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Subject: RE: Other

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Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 12:20 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Gretchen E

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To: Williams; Jenawae M (DOA)
Subject: RE: Thank you and Merry Christmas

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Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 12:07 PM

To: Palin, Sarah H (GOV)

Subject: Thank you and Merry Christmas

Dear Governor Palin:

I just wanted to send you an emai

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 3:30 PM
To: Colberg; Talis J (LAW)
Subject: Re: Christmas Eve

Well Amen! I didn't know how to do this un-bureaucratically. I wanted to just wander around the offices and tell folks to go home and bake cookies.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Colberg, Talis J (LAW)" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 18 Dec 2007 15:26:32

To:gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Christmas Eve

Dear Governor Palin,

I suspect you have already heard from others but your decision to give employees time off on Christmas Eve afternoon has created near euphoria with some. Already five employees have come to me to say how thrilled they are to have a Governor who has finally let them off early on Christmas Eve. For them and me, thank-you Talis

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 11:46 AM
To: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV)
Cc: Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Saddler; Daniel R (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Rowland; Mindy B (GOV)
Subject: Re: Bill Signing

Will I have time to get to military speech if we postpone this even a few minutes from the original time?

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From: "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 18 Dec 2007 11:41:34

To:"Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>,"Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>,"Leschper, Beth (GOV)" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>

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Subject: Bill Signing

I called the King Career Center in Anchorage and spoke to Guy Okada the Principal. He said they'd love to have the bill signing there. He suggested the construction trade area and indicated that there is plenty of room for media, legislators, etc.

I told him 1:30 p.m. He said that is fine but kids are dismissed at that time. I suggest starting at 1:15. Thoughts? (Currently, the Governor is schedule to 1pm).

FYI, The contact for coordination, etc is Michelle Egan, 742-8900. Before anyone calls her, I need to follow-up with Mr. Okada and finalize the time.

Kris

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 8:38 AM
To: mpalesh@ci.auburn.ny.us
Subject: RE: Other

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Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 7:24 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Mark Palesh

address: 68 Prospect Street Auburn NY 13021

315 283-0411

MESSAGE:

As a former City and Borough Manager for Juneau, AK, I still keep an eye on Alaska affairs. Recently I was speaking to some of my friends in Alaska and they were very impressed with the Palin Administration. I just wanted to send her my regards and best wishes in all she does.

mpalesh@ci.auburn.ny.us

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 8:25 AM
To: carmouche1@acsalaska.net
Subject: RE: Boards_and_Commissions

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To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Boards_and_Commissions

Web mail from: Mr. Greg Carmouche

address: 172 Foran Circle Fairbanks AK 99701

MESSAGE:

Why are Non Residence of Alaska allowed to submit changes to Alaska hunting and fishing regulations. Non resident guides submit changes that benefit themselves and does harm to Alaskan hunters. A change to the sheep hunting regulation has been submitted to limit the taking of 1 sheep every 4 years. This benefits guides because their hunters do this hunt once in a lifetime, whereas some Alaskans live for sheep hunting. Some have even suggested that the state go draw for all big game. I would like to know what can be done about the changes being submitted, is there something I and others "hunters" can do about this.

Thank You

carmouche1@acsalaska.net

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Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 7:01 AM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: Re: Anti-Alaska Riders

Thanks for letting me know. By the way, nice Compass piece this morning. It was a topic I was thinking should be written...glad you got to it. The more we can write on these topics that impact the economics of our state, the better.

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To: PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Tue Dec 18 06:14:54 2007

Subject: Fw: Anti-Alaska Riders

Fyi

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To: Katz; John W (GOV); Colberg; Talis J (LAW); Tillery; Craig J (LAW)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Re: Exxon Valdez/State's Amicus Brief - ATTORNEY/CLIENT PRIVILEGE

Thanks for this. I think a joint press event, even if it's merely a press release, would be valuable. Hopefully they'll say yes.

Also, Rep Don Young is quoted as saying he's glad "AK's Gov won't be asking for any more earmarks", (think this was at his town hall telephonic mtg recently)... does he know he misspoke or was misquoted?

Pls tell Larry the ADN ran polar bear op-ed today. Thanks!

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From: "John Katz" <jwkatz@ALASKADC.org>

Date: Tue, 18 Dec 2007 10:47:08

To:"Talis Colberg" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>,"Craig Tillery" <Craig_Tillery@law.state.ak.us>

Cc:"Kris Perry" <kris_perry@gov.state.ak.us>,"Michael Tibbles" <michael_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us>,"Governor Sarah Palin" <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

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On the basis of recent discussions, I believe that Senator Murkowski = and Congressman Young will join in the State's amicus brief. Of = course, they will want to review a draft before making a final decision.

Senator Stevens is still considering a brief of his own. The = brief would focus on his recollections of the Congressional debate that = led to enactment of the Clean Water Act, with particular emphasis on the = question of whether punitive damages are allowed under the Act. His = final conclusion about whether to also join in the State's brief may be = dependent on your research concerning whether an individual can sign two = amicus briefs.

I have been told that the delegation was poised to send a letter to = the White House asking that the Bush administration embrace Alaska's = position and forebear from supporting Exxon. The Solicitor General's = recent indication that he will not file in behalf of Exxon probably = forecloses the possibility of a delegation letter, I was told this = morning.

I have also begun exploring the possibility of a joint press release = involving the Governor and the Congressional delegation. The release = would express joint support for the plaintiff's position irrespective of = what individual delegation members do with respect to an amicus brief. = ;

More to come as the situation here crystalizes. Please let me = know if there is anything else you want me to do in the interim. =

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Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 6:13 AM
To: 'ftb907@yahoo.com'
Cc: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: Re: test newsletter link

Frank,

I have never sent my newsletter to my campaign lists. The couple thousand email addresses we use have been simply people who have signed up with my office requesting a newsletter.

Sean

----- Original Message -----

From: frank bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>

To: PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Mon Dec 17 19:39:37 2007

Subject: RE: test newsletter link

Sean,

For what its worth we aren't going to hand our campaign contacts list over to the State, but instead re-broadcast it to our list. My concern has always been misusing the lists for something other than what folks signed up for.

Just my 2 cents. :-)

F

"PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)" <sr.parnell@alaska.gov> wrote:

> The format looks great! I'm happy to share my list.
>
> Sean

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Mon 12/17/2007 4:43 PM

To: Leschper, Beth (GOV); Frank Bailey; PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)

Cc: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Subject: Re: test newsletter link

Cool! I'll look when I get to a desk. Did u touch base with the Lt. Governor and Frank on their email addy lists?

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From: "Leschper, Beth (GOV)" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>

Date: Mon, 17 Dec 2007 16:42:33

To:Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Cc:"Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>,"Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>,"Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

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Governor:

Here is a test link to a final draft of your inaugural newsletter http://gov.state.ak.us/newsletter/OpenAKnewsletter_Template.php

With your approval, we'd like to send the newsletter out sometime tomorrow so that your Christmas message and the mention of the flag lowering for Judge Stewart is timely.

The newsletter will be mailed to all state employees and to those who have requested to be on your newsletter mailing list.

Our plan is to provide quick, easy-to-read and fun (interactive) information. We have a lot of information in the content, which was chosen specifically to hit on a number of topics:

* Christmas message

* Budget message

* Links to budget charts and budget web page

* Visual and audio images of both you and the lt. governor

* Feature on Click Bishop to put a face on his department and to emphasize work programs

* Denali awards to involve state staffs

* Advance information on state of the state and start of the legislature

* USO link

In future issues that will publish monthly, we'll highlight other areas of the administration, depending on the season and events. Kris and I had a quick minute to visit about the newsletter in Juneau last week. We can solicit some material from the lt. governor's office as we progress on this project.

We can make any changes you'd like to see.

Beth Leschper

Deputy Communications Director

Office of the Governor

State of Alaska

907-465-3443

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To: ftb907@yahoo.com; Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Bailey; Frank T (GOV)

Subject: Fw: State Email mess

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Speaking of email, I'm getting double of what you're sending. Kris are you getting dupes also from the Gov's email?

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To: Bailey, Frank T (GOV); Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>; Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Sent: Tue Dec 18 18:51:56 2007

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Yeah, I had no idea what he's talking about. Just read it and knew you'd appreciate it.

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Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 5:30 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV); Todd
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Buck; Hannah K (GOV)
Subject: Re: Scheduling -

Short event at was mart

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 18 Dec 2007 17:25:02

To:ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>

Cc:"Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>,"Buck, Hannah K (GOV)" <hannah.buck@alaska.gov>

Subject: RE: Scheduling -

Thank you - I will adjust calendar to reflect and confirm with those that need to know.
Janice

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

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Date: Tue, 18 Dec 2007 17:07:46

To:Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, fek9wnr@yahoo.com

Cc:"Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Scheduling -

Governor -

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Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 4:52 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: Re: Photos of fur hats

Is there anything more feminine. I don't think I'd ever wear this.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 18 Dec 2007 16:39:07

To:Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: FW: Photos of fur hats

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Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 3:21 PM

To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Subject: Fw: Photos of fur hats

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----- Original Message -----

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To: Stepovich, Melissa M (GOV)

Sent: Tue Dec 18 14:41:38 2007

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You requested more info regarding a 'trapper style' fur hat. This style has several features:

(a) an insulated crown or body,

(b) your selection of materials on the crown (Governor Palin has specified black leather),

(c) a fur panel on the front, and

(d) fur-lined flaps on the side.

The attached files contain photos of two different hats. They can be worn several different ways:

(a) flaps down over your ears when it is cold,

(b) flaps tied back when it is cool, or

(c) flaps tied up when it is warm & you want to look 'cool.'

Unknown

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 4:26 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV); Kim; Anna C (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Cc: Savland; Monica L (GOV)
Subject: Re: Child

Kris shall talk to anna about this so we can keep it out of Gov's office. Thanks

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 18 Dec 2007 16:20:17

To:Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, "Kim, Anna C (GOV)" <anna.kim@alaska.gov>

Cc:"Savland, Monica L (GOV)" <monica.savland@alaska.gov>

Subject: Child

Governor - I have received two phone calls today in reference to Privileged or Pe (you met w/her friend on Friday). One call was from her father Privileged or Pe and he stated that Privileg has now run away. He would like to talk w/someone in the office that can help. I explained that you're Special Staff Assistant, Anna Kim is following up on this and that I would relay the message to her. 9097-Privileged

I then received a call from Representative Peggy Wilson concerning this same issue. Peggy would like to speak with you directly as there are some issues going on that you may not be aware of. I explained to Peggy that Anna Kim is following up on this case and that if it was okay I would like Anna to follow up with her. Peggy stated that she knows Anna and that would be fine. Contact: 907-Privileged. Peggy would like to follow up as soon as possible as she would like the child to be given to her dad for Christmas Day.

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 4:01 PM
To: pat47@ptialaska.net
Subject: RE: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 1:35 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

Web mail from: James & Patricia Gibbs

address: P.O. Box 1597 Soldotna AK 99669

9072837275

MESSAGE:

We sent an e-mail yesterday about Nicholas Gibbs. We have another question, is Nicholas Gibbs in the Alaska National Army Guard? What position does he have and what is his chain of command? Nicholas Gibbs thought he was signing up for the Regular Army in Alaska but it looks like he has been on temporary orders since he joined several years ago and no one including him knows his chain of command? We are suspecting it goes back to the State of Alaska and the Alaska Army Reserve or Alaska National Army Guard? We would like your help in figuring out what Nicholas Gibbs is, what rank and what is his chain of command? And where his money has been going?

pat47@ptialaska.net

Unknown

From: Bailey, Frank T (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=FTBAILEY]
Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 7:01 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: State Email mess

Kris said she didn't get dupe emails so it must be on my end.

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>; Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Bailey, Frank T (GOV)

Sent: Tue Dec 18 18:59:27 2007

Subject: Re: State Email mess

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Frank Bailey" <ftb907@yahoo.com>

Date: Wed, 19 Dec 2007 03:57:21

To:"SP" <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>,"Kris Perry" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>,"frank bailey" <frank.bailey@alaska.gov>

Subject: Re: State Email mess

That's a good question.

But if we change your email in the future I want to go to a totally different kind of solution (I know switching at some point is a bummer of a thought, but we can get more secure and avoid the State system directly to your blackberry).

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Wed, 19 Dec 2007 03:54:59

To:"K Perry" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>,"Frank Bailey" <ftb907@yahoo.com>,"frank bailey"

<frank.bailey@alaska.gov>

Subject: Re: State Email mess

I don't know him. How do so many other people have the addy, anyway?

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Date: Tue, 18 Dec 2007 18:53:48

To:Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, ftb907@yahoo.com,kris perry <kris.perry@alaska.gov>, frank bailey <frank.bailey@alaska.gov>

Subject: RE: State Email mess

Do you know him? He says anonymously but I looked up the name Ron King in the employee directory and it lists one as being employed as a transportation planner in DOT. If you don't know him, I wonder how he got your yahoo address.

-----Original Message-----

From: "Sarah Palin" <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: "ftb907@yahoo.com" <ftb907@yahoo.com>; "kris perry" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>; "frank bailey" <frank.bailey@alaska.gov>

Sent: 12/18/2007 6:43 PM

Subject: Fw: State Email mess

----- Forwarded Message ----

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To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 3:27:49 PM

Subject: Fw: State Email mess

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From: Ron King <ron.king71@yahoo.com>

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Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 4:17 PM

To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'

Subject: Wounded Warriors--Troop Event tomorrow

Hi,
I had breakfast with about 7 returning "wounded warriors" of the 4th Brigade at Fort Richardson. Because most of them are in treatment for their wounds in other medical facilities they have been reassigned out of this Fort Rich unit to the medical facility but I learned the importance of closure for these soldiers; hence, the YMCA and others helped fund their trips back to Ft. Rich for the ceremony tomorrow. They are burn victims, amputees, brain injured, etc. In any event, I wanted to ask you to include something in your speech about these soldiers and their families so I stopped in to talk with Kris P. She said you already had your speech and that you were probably editing it so I'll just give you something you can consider copying into your speech:

Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

Since you likely already have enough to cover in three minutes or less, I didn't want to provide more than a line or two. But if you want to add more about the wounded—only some of whom will be present—when I spoke this morning I not only said the above but I added a personal note to the men gathered—I let them know that what made them men (what made them soldiers) wasn't lost when they were injured, for that's a matter of the heart. That's where courage springs from and that's where dreams are born. I closed by telling them it was time to dream again. (One had told me his dream of getting a college education to become a teacher now that he was going to have to leave the Army. Another told me he wanted to go to college and earn a business degree and some day own a small business.) Just some thoughts for you—have a great night and I'll see you tomorrow.

Sean

Unknown

From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]

Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 9:35 AM

To: govpalin@alaska.gov

Subject: FW: Recognition for Alaska Pioneer Joe Nava

Governor – FYI. I have thanked him for his kind words and pictures. Janice

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 9:23 AM
To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Recognition for Alaska Pioneer Joe Nava

From: Wyman, John M (DFG)
Sent: Monday, December 17, 2007 4:22 PM
To: Palin, Sarah H (GOV)
Cc: Stepovich, Melissa M (GOV)
Subject: FW: Recognition for Alaska Pioneer Joe Nava

Gov. Palin,
Thank you very much for helping to recognize Mr. Nava.
The letter your office provided was a big hit with all in attendance and meant a lot to Joe.
We framed the letter and Cathie Harms presented it to Joe during the annual AIM-COMM/Range banquet on Sunday and attendees gave an impromptu standing ovation to Joe as he received the letter.
Attached are a couple photos from the event (reduced in resolution and size for easy emailing).
Thank you for the letter and for your support of firearms safety and education.
Best Regards,
-John Wyman

From: Wyman, John M (DFG)
Sent: Tuesday, December 04, 2007 3:41 PM
To: Palin, Sarah H (GOV)
Subject: Recognition for Alaska Pioneer Joe Nava

Greetings Gov. Palin,

My name is John Wyman and I work for the Alaska Department of Fish & Game. My job involves overseeing the Fairbanks Hunter Education Indoor Shooting Range and related programs (www.huntereducation.alaska.gov and www.aimcomm.org).

We have many volunteers in the community who help with hunter education and firearm safety related programs and events. Part of my job involves recognizing our volunteers. One Alaska pioneer has contributed so much to the state of Alaska, with nearly 50 years of dedication to firearms safety and education and steadfast promotion of our rich heritage of hunting, shooting, and wildlife conservation, that I and a volunteer committee are planning a special "life-long achievement" recognition ceremony to be held at an upcoming awards banquet on 16 December.

The Alaska pioneer and volunteer we are recognizing is Mr. Joe Nava and I'd like to ask your help in honoring him for his service to the residents of the state of Alaska. It is vital we do all we can to foster safe and responsible hunting and use of firearms and work to preserve and promote Alaska's rich heritage of hunting, shooting, and wildlife conservation. Joe Nava has done that, in various roles, for decades and there are few like him and he is up there in years and we do not know for how many more he will be around.

If you are willing and able to assist in this effort I was thinking a letter from you that could be read at the banquet on 16 December would be most appropriate. I was hoping that we could even have a short video clip of you recognizing Mr. Nava for his contributions. Your smiling face thanking and recognizing Joe for his efforts could really do wonders to honor him and also motivate others to also give back to the community. Of course, you would be most welcome to attend the awards banquet but I know you have a very busy schedule these days and probably could not attend.

Thank you very much for considering this request. I look forward to hearing from you and I can provide additional information for you if you find you are able to help recognize Mr. Nava.

Best Regards,

John Wyman
Alaska Department of Fish & Game
Hunter Education Indoor Shooting Range
1300 College Road, Fairbanks, AK, 99701
907.459.7292 (office)
907.452.5837 (range)
907.590.8776 (personal cell)
907.459.7332 (fax)
www.huntereducation.alaska.gov and www.aimcomm.org

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Attachments:

Flaps down.JPG (44382 Bytes)

Flaps tied back.JPG (60053 Bytes)

Flaps tied up.JPG (72302 Bytes)

Unknown

From: John Katz [jwkatz@ALASKADC.org]

Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 5:59 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin

Cc: Kris Perry; Michael Tibbles

Subject: Drue Pearce's Replacement - PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

The Department of the Interior is still trying to fill Drue Pearce's previous position as Senior Alaska Advisor to the Secretary. There is a strong rumor that Representative Ralph Samuels' name has been submitted to the White House but that no action has been taken because of alleged opposition from the State administration. I have heard nothing about this from the White House personnel office, and they are usually pretty good about checking with us on appointments that could affect Alaska.

In these circumstances, I wanted to check with you and Mike. If you are content with the current situation, I will leave it alone. However, if clarification to the White House is necessary, I will do that.

Please note that my email address has changed. My new email address is jwkatz@alaskadc.org. Thank you .

Unknown

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Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 12:35 PM

To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'

Subject: 50 hp

Hi,
I'm ready to talk 50 hp regs when you are. Should I schedule with Janice. 15 mins.

Sean

Unknown

From: Colberg, Talis J (LAW) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=TJCOLBERG]

Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 3:27 PM

To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'

Subject: Christmas Eve

Dear Governor Palin,
I suspect you have already heard from others but your decision to give employees time off on Christmas Eve afternoon has created near euphoria with some. Already five employees have come to me to say how thrilled they are to have a Governor who has finally let them off early on Christmas Eve. For them and me, thank-you
Talis

Unknown

From: John Katz [jwkatz@ALASKADC.org]

Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 4:01 AM

To: Michael Tibbles; Governor Sarah Palin

Cc: Karen Rehfeld; Joseph Balash; Kris Perry; Mike Nizich

Subject: Anti-Alaska Riders

I am pleased to report that none of the anti-Alaska policy riders described below and in my memorandum of October 9th has apparently been included in the omnibus appropriations bill currently under consideration by Congress.

I would like to say that the absence of these riders is due to the efforts of your DC office. Hopefully, our advocacy was a factor. However, full disclosure compels me to say that the biggest factors were the anti-rider stance of the Bush administration and the procedural situation in Congress which made it difficult to include riders in the omnibus bill.

The riders (or threats of riders) would have -

- Required that Alaska return federal highway funds for the Gravina Island and Knik Arm Bridges
- Restricted oil and gas leasing in NPR-A and North Aleutian Basin
- Prohibited the use of federal funds to build new roads in the roadless areas of the Tongass National Forest, thereby sharply restricting timber harvest.
- Restricted Alaska's wolf management program
- Limited claims of access under RS2477
- Prohibited the importation of polar bear parts from Canada, thereby jeopardizing polar bear management in Northern Canada.

Other anti-Alaska initiatives, such as additional wilderness in the Tongass and the Coastal Plain of ANWR, never came up in the appropriations process. However, with a new President and Congress, we can expect these to reemerge in the future.

P.S.
In a later spreadsheet, we will report on the fate of the State's various appropriations requests and also other funding for Alaska.

Please note that my email address has changed. My new email address is jwkatz@alaskadc.org. Thank you .

Unknown

From: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=KYPERRY]

Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 1:02 PM

To: Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Rowland; Mindy B (GOV); 'Sarah Palin'; Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)

Cc: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV); Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Saddler; Daniel R (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV)

Subject: Bill Signing Time and Location Finalized

Importance: High

ACES Bill Signing
1:00 p.m.
King Career Center in the Construction Trade Area
2650 E NORTHERN LIGHTS BLVD.

The Principal told me they'd put out signs to direct folks to parking and the trade area.

Sharon/Beth/Dan: They have a podium and small sound system. They'll also put out about 15 chairs. Please advise them as to how many should be needed and any other requirements.

At this point, I'll remove myself from the loop so communications folks can work directly with the Michelle Egan at the school.

Unknown

From: Amundsen, James (DOT) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JAMUNDSEN]

Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 2:00 PM

To: Linda Kovac; Von Scheben; Leo (DOT)

Cc: Palin; Sarah H (GOV); Keith; Gordon C (DOT); Chapman; Kenneth W (DOT); dyanoshek@crweng.com; Dahlstrom; Nancy (LAA); Dyson; Fred (LAA); Fairclough; Anna (LAA); Huggins; Charlie (LAA); Stoltze; Bill (LAA); ossiander@gci.net; starrwe@muni.org; 'David J. Baldwin'; 'Paula & Robert Caywood'; armstron@mtaonline.net; 'Looney; Tom E.'; 'Randy McCain'; mpar@mtaonline.net; 'Barbara Parker'; debhudson@clearwire.net; 'Bill & Dixie Waddell'; Meredithmrs@aol.com; Dave Yanoshek; Brendan McKee; Dougherty; Judy J (DOT); Campbell; Robert A (DOT); Rae DeLey; 'Teresa Zimmerman'

Subject: RE: Chugiak Community Council Request re Old Glenn Highway Project

Attached is a scanned copy of the original which will be going out in today's mail.

Thank you for your comments! Please give me a call if you have any questions or have trouble with the attachment.

Merry Christmas!

Jim Amundsen
269-0595

From: Linda Kovac [mailto:lkovac@chugiakcouncil.org]
Sent: Saturday, November 24, 2007 4:51 AM
To: Von Scheben, Leo (DOT)
Cc: Palin, Sarah H (GOV); Keith, Gordon C (DOT); Amundsen, James (DOT); Chapman, Kenneth W (DOT); dyanoshek@crweng.com; Dahlstrom, Nancy (LAA); Dyson, Fred (LAA); Fairclough, Anna (LAA); Huggins, Charlie (LAA); Stoltze, Bill (LAA); ossiander@gci.net; starrwe@muni.org; 'David J. Baldwin'; 'Paula & Robert Caywood'; armstron@mtaonline.net; 'Looney, Tom E.'; 'Randy McCain'; mpar@mtaonline.net; 'Barbara Parker'; debhudson@clearwire.net; 'Bill & Dixie Waddell'; Meredithmrs@aol.com
Subject: Chugiak Community Council Request re Old Glenn Highway Project

The Chugiak Community Council submits the attached request to reduce negative construction impacts from the Old Glenn Highway Rehabilitation Project (ADOT&PF State Project No. 52515) on the Chugiak community and Lower Fire Lake residents.

Thank you for your consideration,
Linda Kovac
Secretary-Treasurer
Chugiak Community Council
688-5356

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=GOVERNOR]
Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 3:27 PM
To: Spencer; Kari L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Budget

-----Original Message-----

From: Donna Jones, District Manager [mailto:donna@ak.net]

Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 10:23 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Re: Budget

Sarah,

Thank you for taking the time to read my information, but if there is any chance that I may speak to her on this issue, it would be greatly appreciated. I do not see our request for funding in the budget and would like to find out how to possibly get an amendment-if possible. Donna

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) wrote:

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> opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable
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> the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every
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> need,

> suggestion, or comment.

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

> Sent: Friday, December 14, 2007 5:00 PM

> To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

> Subject: Budget

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> Web mail from: Ms. Donna Jones

> address: 1524 Ismailov St. Kodiak AK 99615

> 907-539-6999

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> MESSAGE:

> Dear Governor Sarah Palin,

> Please consider funding the Alaska Association of Conservation

> Districts. They administer the funding to 12 Districts throughout
> Alaska

> to partner with other entities to help assist alaskans to conserve,

> maintain, develop and improve our natural resources and environment.
> We

> also play an important role in educating our youth through programs
> such

> as the FFA. We have an administrative system in full place and a long

> track record of successful projects that we would love to share with

> you. We have submitted a request to you for 2.5 million dollars to
> fund

> this next fiscal year. Your funding last year of $750,000 was greatly

> appreciated and was utilized to continue our work assisting with

> projects all for the betterment of our state. I would love to meet
> with

> you to share our successes from this last year, so you can see first

> hand what a great benefit and investment we are for our communities
> and

> our state.

> Please consider my request. Thank you,

> Donna Jones

> District Manager

> Kodiak Soil & Water Conservation District

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> donna@ak.net

> PLEASE ADD TO E-NEWS

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 12:07 PM
To: govpalin@alaska.gov
Subject: FW: December 24 Schedule

Governor - This is from Joanne that you met at the house (Juanita's Sister). Joanne is the Acting Traffic Manager for AK Marine Hwys. Janice

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From: Mason, Joanne E (DOT)

Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 11:58 AM

To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Subject: FW: December 24 Schedule

Hi, Give a BIG thank you to Governor Palin and her staff for this great gift. My staff is all very happy.

Joanne

From: office, commissioners (DOA sponsored)

Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 11:40 AM

To: SOA All Employees Executive Branch

Subject: December 24 Schedule

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=GOVERNOR]
Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 3:27 PM
To: Spencer; Kari L (GOV); Wilken; Jessica M (GOV)
Subject: FW: General_Administration

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 11:01 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: General_Administration

Web mail from: Mr. Kevin Eischens

address: 3675 Burl Ct Anchorage AK 99504

907-222-3642

MESSAGE:

Gov. Palin,

Just a quick note to let you know I think you're doing a great job. Please try to keep the public informed and part of the decision making as much as possible.

Two quick points to make and then I'll shutup:

1.)Why do we have to spend "surplus" money? What's wrong with SAVING it for a rainy day? I beleive you have the states best interest in mind although I feel saving most if not all of any "surplus" is what's needed.

2.)Please consider CPAI's bid for the GAS pipeline. If all they really want to know is what the tax structure will be in the future, it doesn't seem like their asking too much. I have not looked into the bids at all but from my "uninformed" standpoint it seems like CPAI is interested in building the line AND working with the State to get "OUR" gas to the market. Let's just "Get R' Done".

Thank you for your time and Merry Christmas,

Kevin

keischens@hotmail.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, December 19, 2007 7:38 AM
To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)
Subject: FW: WICHE Policy Alert - December 18, 2007

From: Policy Analysis & Research [mailto:policy@wiche.edu]
Sent: Wednesday, December 19, 2007 7:28 AM
To: Palin, Sarah H (GOV)
Subject: WICHE Policy Alert - December 18, 2007

WICHE Policy Alerts - December 18, 2007

A recent policy brief by Achieve, "Aligning High School Graduation Requirements with the Real World: A Road Map for States" (http://www.achieve.org/node/976) captures lessons learned by states that have put higher high school graduation requirements in place. It addresses challenges of policy design as well as strategies for implementation, communication and coalition building.

The Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education (WICHE) strives to maintain excellent communication with the education policy and research communities. To subscribe or unsubscribe to the Policy Alerts and/or Stat Alerts distribution lists, please email your name, title, and organization to Jeanette Porter at jporter@wiche.edu. These electronic distribution lists are used only to support WICHE-sponsored programs and to share resources about relevant issues in higher education policy and research. As an additional resource, WICHE maintains a Policy Publication Clearinghouse on the web at http://wiche.edu/policy/Clearinghouse, which includes past Policy Alerts and Stat Alerts, as well as other studies, reports, surveys, and policy briefs.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 4:01 PM

To: Lanigan; Deborah M (HSS)

Subject: RE: Thank You!

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

From: Lanigan, Deborah M (HSS)
Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 1:39 PM
To: Palin, Sarah H (GOV)
Subject: Thank You!

This is the first time any of our long term workers ever remember be granted this option by the Governor.

Thank you very much and may you and your family have a Very Merry Christmas

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From: Rutherford, Marty K (DNR) [marty.rutherford@alaska.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 11:59 AM

To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)

Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)

Subject: RE: December 24 Schedule

Governor,
This is such a lovely thing to do for the state employees and I want to thank you for your thoughtfulness. So many of the state's employees work very hard and do not have the perks enjoyed by the private sector. I believe this is the first time in at least 16 years that I remember anything like this happening. In case I do not see you before Christmas, I hope you and your family have a wonderful Holiday! Thank you for all you do and who you are. I believe Alaska is blessed with you leading our state.
Marty

From: office, commissioners (DOA sponsored)
Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2007 11:40 AM
To: SOA All Employees Executive Branch
Subject: December 24 Schedule

Governor Palin has announced that all non-essential state employees will be excused from duty on the afternoon of December 24, 2007. This applies to all employees except for those who, in the judgment of management, cannot be excused for reasons of public safety or other essential public business. This would include but is not limited to certain employees of the Departments of Public Safety and Corrections, as well as certain employees of the Alaska Pioneer Homes and the Alaska Psychiatric Institute.

All employees who are required to work on the afternoon of December 24th shall be credited with 3.5 hours of personal leave. Employees previously scheduled to take personal leave will have their leave adjusted by 3.5 hours.

The Governor appreciates all the hard work of state employees and is pleased that this will give you more time with your families. This leave is not discretionary and non-essential state offices will be closed. The Governor is also encouraging liberal leave for the morning of December 24, but this must be pre-approved by your supervisor and accompanied by a leave slip.

I hope you enjoy Christmas Eve and the entire Holiday Season.

Annette Kreitzer
Commissioner
Department of Administration